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METHOD, INFORMATION READING APPARATUS  
AND METHOD, MAGNETIC TAPE FORMAT, AND  
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Claims 1-13 and 21-46.

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